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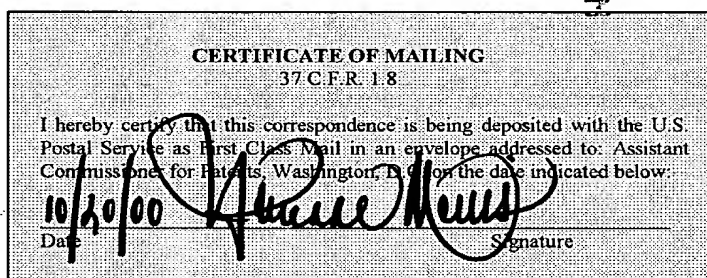
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Title: Method of Manufacturing Recloseable Bags

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Sir:

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed references are enclosed.

The following application(s), are either continuations, divisionals, or continuation-in-parts of the present application:

Application No.	Date Filed	Title
09/307,843	05/10/99	(Parent) Fastener With Slider Thereon For Use In Manufacturing Recloseable Bags

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